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25X1 5. [ ] Talked with Alfred G. Vigderman,  
Greek Affairs, State Department, concerning the problem of deleting from  
25X1 the record of the Symington Subcommittee of Senate Foreign Relations  
Committee of 30 June 1970 reference to the fact that the [ ] 25X1  
[ ] I  
told Vigderman I would be glad to go see Pincus and Paul, of the Subcom-  
mittee staff, personally on the matter, or perhaps raise it with Symington  
himself, since I thought only mischief could result from this information  
being disclosed. Vigderman said he appreciated this but thought the matter  
25X1 in the first instance at least should be handled through State channels and  
suggested that [ ], and I meet with Vigderman and  
Mr. Wolff at 3:30 p.m., Wednesday, 8 July, to assemble the facts and  
to decide just how our position should be presented to the Subcommittee.  
Vigderman proposed that Wolff then try to prevail on the Subcommittee  
to delete the reference, but if he failed, David Abshire, Assistant Secretary  
for Congressional Relations, and I might jointly call on Symington.

25X1 6. [ ] Ed Braswell, Chief of Staff, Senate  
Armed Services Committee, called to say that Chairman Stennis would  
like a briefing on the current situation in the Middle East and Cambodia  
either in the morning or the afternoon tomorrow, 7 July. I explained that  
the Director was appearing before the Foreign Relations Committee during  
the morning tomorrow. Braswell said that Stennis didn't necessarily expect  
the Director to give the briefing and would be quite satisfied even if it was on  
a lower level. After checking with the Director, I called Braswell back to  
25X1 say that the Director would not be available for either the morning or afternoon  
and that [ ] would probably give the briefing but he too was involved  
in the morning session of the Foreign Relations Committee briefing so we  
would have to schedule the Stennis briefing in the afternoon. Because we  
did not know how long the morning session would run, I asked Braswell if he  
could move the Stennis briefing back to 3:00 or later. He said he'd check with  
Stennis and let us know.

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